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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Huang et al.

Serial No.: 09/938,689

Group Art Unit: 1632

Filed: August 23, 2001

Examiner: To be assigned

For:

TRANSGENIC MAMMAL CAPABLE OF

Attorney Docket No.: 9342-028

FACILITATING PRODUCTION OF

DONOR-SPECIFIC FUNCTIONAL IMMUNITY

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.115, please enter the following amendments and consider the remarks made herein prior to the examination of the above-captioned application. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a marked-up copy of the amended paragraphs of the specification indicating the amendments made therein. Applicants submit concurrently herewith (a) paper and computer-readable copies of a Sequence Listing; (b) a Transmittal of the Sequence Listing; (c) a Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts; and (d) a Petition for an Extension of Time for Response for one month from December 10, 2001 to January 10, 2002, accompanied by the appropriate fee.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 31, delete the paragraph at lines 4-7 and insert the following therefor:

GMCSF3/4F: 5' ATGGCCAGCCACTACAAGCAG 3' (SEQ ID NO:34)

GMCSF3/4R: 5' GGTGATAATCTGGGTTGCACAG 3' (SEQ ID NO:29)

product size: 878 bp

annealing temperature: 60°C

On page 31, delete the paragraph at lines 9-13 and insert the following

therefor: